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PART I—Section 1

Notifications relating to Non-Statutory Rules, Regulations and Orders and Resolutions issued by the Ministries of the Government of India (other than the Ministry of Defence) and by the Supreme Court

MINISTRY OF FINANCE
(Department of Economic Affairs)

New Delhi, the 2nd November 1955

No. D. 7018-FI/55.—Statement of the Affairs of the Reserve Bank of India as on the 28th October, 1955

BANKING DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Capital paid up	5,00,00,000	Notes	16,00,74,000
Reserve Fund	5,00,00,000	Rupee Coin	6,78,000
Deposits:—		Subsidiary Coin	5,00,000
(a) Government :—		Bills Purchased and Discounted :—	
(i) Central Government	49,33,36,000	(a) Internal	58,30,000
(ii) Other Governments	30,22,88,000	(b) External
(b) Banks	57,71,41,000	(c) Government Treasury Bills	6,56,95,000
(c) Others	15,79,37,000	Balances held abroad*	85,27,18,000
Bills Payable	7,85,33,000	Loans and Advances to Governments	2,00,000
Other Liabilities	19,96,52,000	Other Loans and Advances†	19,56,83,000
		Investments	50,33,27,000
		Other Assets	12,41,82,000
TOTAL	190,88,87,000	TOTAL	190,88,87,000

*Includes Cash & Short term Securities.

†(1) The item 'Other Loans and Advances' includes Rs. 4,16,00,000 advanced to scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act.

(2) The total amount of advances availed of by scheduled banks against usance bills under Section 17(4)(c) of the Reserve Bank of India Act since 1st January 1955 is Rs. 196,21,85,000.

An Account pursuant to the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, for the week ended the 28th day of October 1955

ISSUE DEPARTMENT

LIABILITIES	Rs.	ASSETS	Rs.
Notes held in the Banking Department	16,00,74,000	A.—Gold Coin and Bullion:—	
Notes in circulation	1305,85,79,000	(a) Held in India	40,01,71,000
Total Notes issued	1321,86,53,000	(b) Held outside India
		Foreign Securities	627,09,72,000
		Total of A	667,11,43,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1321,86,53,000	B.—Rupee Coin	111,14,69,000
		Government of India Rupee Securities	543,60,41,000
		Internal Bills of Exchange and other commercial paper
		TOTAL ASSETS	1321,86,53,000

Ratio of Total of A to Liabilities : 50.468 per cent.

Dated the 2nd day of November 1955.

B. RAMA RAU, Governor,

H. M. PATEL, Secy.

(Department of Economic Affairs)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 31st October 1955

No. F.4(230)-BI/55.—It is notified for general information that Shrimati Kutty Vellodi having tendered her resignation ceases to be a member of the Central Advisory Committee for Women's Savings Campaign as announced in this Ministry Resolution No. F. 7(112)-B/54, dated the 29th November, 1954.

H. S. NEGI, Joint Secy.

(Department of Company Law Administration)

ORDER

New Delhi, the 2nd November 1955

No. F.14(1)-CCI/55/5877.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 6 of the Capital Issues (Continuance of Control) Act, 1947 (XXIX of 1947), and in supersession of the Order of the Government of India in the Ministry of Finance No. F. 14(1)-CCI/55 dated the 28th July 1955, the Central Government hereby exempts the Industrial Credit and Investment Corporation of India Limited, from the provisions of sections 3 and 5 of the said Act in respect of the bonds of the value not exceeding the equivalent of \$10,000,000 (ten million dollars) executed and delivered by the Corporation to the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development in terms of the Loan Agreement dated the 14th March, 1955, entered into between the two parties.

D. L. MAZUMDAR,
Controller of Capital Issues.THE INSTITUTE OF CHARTERED ACCOUNTANT
OF INDIA

New Delhi-1, the 3rd November 1955

No. 4-CA(1)/14/55.—In pursuance of Regulation 12 of the Chartered Accountants Regulations, 1949, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-Section (1) of Section 20 of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949, the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India has removed from the Register of Members, with effect from the 10th September 1955, owing to death, the name of Shri Balchand Maganlal Mehta, of Messrs. B. M. Mehta & Co., 42, Veer Nariman Road, Bombay (Membership Number 441).

New Delhi-1, the 7th November 1955

No. 4-CA(1)/16/55.—In pursuance of Regulation 12 of the Chartered Accountants Regulations, 1949, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-Section (1) of Section 20 of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949, the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India has removed from the Register of Members, with effect from the 22nd October 1955, owing to death, the name of Shri Hari Shankar Sohony of M/s H. S. Sohony & Co., 340, South Kasba, Sholapur (Membership No. 45).

No. 4-CA(1)/15/55.—In pursuance of Regulation 12 of the Chartered Accountants Regulations, 1949, it is hereby notified that in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (c) of sub-Section (1) of Section 20 of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949, the Council of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of India has removed from the Register of Members, with effect from the 3rd August 1955, owing to death, the name of Shri Madan Gopal of Baghchi Ganda Mal, Rang Mahal, Delhi (Membership No. 1557).

E. V. SRINIVASAN, Secy.

MINISTRY OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 8th November 1955

No. Light Ind.(A)-36(1)/55.—With a view to examining the nutritive and other properties of Sago manufactured from Tapioca and to improving its quality, the Government of India have decided to set up an Experts' Committee, consisting of the following:—

Chairman

1. Dr. A. Nagaraja Rao, Chief Industrial Adviser, Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India.

Members

2. Dr. K. Mitra, Assistant Director General of Health Services, Ministry of Health, Government of India.

3. Prof. B. C. Guha, University College of Science, Calcutta.

4. Dr. V. N. Patwardhan, Director, Nutrition Research Laboratories, Coonoor.

5. Dr. V. Subrahmanyam, Director, Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysore.

2. Shri V. A. Mehta, Assistant Development Officer (Food) will act as Secretary to the Committee.

3. The terms of reference to the Committee will be:—

(i) whether the product marketed so far in India as sago is different from that made in other countries; how it compares in nutritive value and other properties with sago prepared out of sago palm;

(ii) whether it is a wholesome product and can be recommended for the use of children, invalids and others; and

(iii) what steps should be taken to maintain a good quality that will make the product consistently safe to the consumer.

4. The Committee will meet as often as necessary, at places selected by it, and will submit its report to the Government within two months.

S. N. BILGRAMI, Joint Secy.

(Office of the Chief Controller of Imports and Exports)

NOTICES

New Delhi, the 3rd November 1955

No. CCI/SPE/201/55/2712.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N 030663/52/NC/CCI dated the 7th October 1955, valued at Rs. 5,000/- for import of Packing & Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Deputy Chief Controller of Imports, Central Licensing Area, New Delhi, to M/s. J. Bhalla & Co., 3643, Morigate, Delhi, was obtained on the basis of forged certificates from M/s. Maheswari Aggarwal & Co., Chartered Accountants, Delhi, it is, therefore, hereby notified, that the Chief Controller of Imports, in exercise of the powers specified in the Schedule to the Late Ministry of Commerce Notification No. 4-ITC/48, dated the 1st May 1948, proposes to cancel the said licence No. N 030663/52/NC/CCI dated the 7th October 1955, unless sufficient cause against this, is furnished to the undersigned, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. J. Bhalla & Co., 3643, Morigate, Delhi, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

2. In view of what is stated above M/s. J. Bhalla & Co., 3643, Morigate, Delhi, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in the said licence No. N 030663/52/NC/CCI, dated the 7th October 1955 are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the undersigned.

New Delhi, the 4th November 1955

No. CCI/SPE/220/55/2738.—Whereas there is reason to believe that licence No. N.030139/52/NC/CCI, dated the 9th September 1955, valued at Rs. 5,000 for import of Packing & Wrapping Paper from the Soft Currency Area except South Africa, granted by the Dy. Chief Controller of Imports, Central Licensing Area, New Delhi, to M/s. Universal Paper Agency, 2226, Arya Samaj Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi, was obtained on the basis of forged Chartered Accountants Certificate, it is, therefore, hereby notified, that the Chief Controller of Imports, in exercise of the powers specified in the Schedule to the Late Ministry of Commerce Notification No. 4-ITC/48, dated the 1st May, 1948, proposes to cancel the said licence No. N.030139/52/NC/CCI, dated the 9th September 1955, unless sufficient cause against this, is furnished to the undersigned, within ten days of the date of issue of this notice by the said M/s. Universal Paper Agency, 2226, Arya Samaj Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi, or any bank or any other party who may be interested in it.

2. In view of what is stated above M/s. Universal Paper Agency, 2226, Arya Samaj Road, Karol Bagh, New Delhi, or any bank or any other party who may

be interested in the said licence No. N 030139/52/NC/CCI dated the 9th September 1955, are hereby directed not to enter into any further commitments against the said licence and return it immediately to the undersigned.

CORRIGENDUM

New Delhi, the 2nd November 1955

No. CCI/SPE/155/55/2690.—Licence No. O 032572/52 dated the 16th June, 1955 appearing in this office Notice No. CCI/SPE/155/55/2187 dated the 10th September 1955, may be amended to read as Licence No. O 032512/52 dated the 16th June 1955.

J. BYRNE,
Chief Controller of Imports & Exports.

ORDER

New Delhi, the 3rd November 1955

No. 15(6)-Jute/55.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 25 of the Industries (Development and Regulation) Act, 1951 (LXV of 1951) and, in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry, No. 2(50) Tex/52-Jute, dated the 20th October, 1953, the Central Government hereby directs that the powers conferred on it by section 18G of the said Act shall, in relation to textiles made wholly or in part of jute, including jute yarn, twine and rope, be exercisable also by Shri A. P. Mathur, Joint Chief Controller of Imports and Exports Calcutta

A. K. CHAKRAVARTI, Under Secy

ORDER

EXPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 8th November 1955

No. Export(1)/AM(32).—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 of the Imports and Exports (Control) Act, 1947 (XVIII of 1947), the Central Government hereby directs that the following further amendments shall be made in the Exports (Control) Order, 1954 published with the order of the Government of India in the Ministry of Commerce and Industry No. Export(1), dated the 10th May 1954, namely:—

In Schedule I to the said Order, under the heading "C. ARTICLES WHOLLY OR MAINLY MANUFACTURED",

1. For item 39, the following shall be substituted:—
"39. Starch, dextrine and farina excluding tamarind seed powder and tapioca products."
2. After item 39, the following item shall be inserted, namely:—
"39-A. Tapioca products, the following:—
(i) Tapioca pearls (sago or tapioca globules),
(ii) Others excluding tapioca chips."

R. K. BALBIR, Under Secy

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

New Delhi, the 1st November 1955

No. F.29-7/55-S.—A representative of the Ministry of Food and Agriculture has been included as a member of the Advisory Board for Compilation of National Atlas of India, in addition to the members mentioned in para. I of this Ministry's Resolution of even number dated the 1st September 1955.

2. A representative of the Planning Commission has been included as a member of the Executive Committee for the Compilation of National Atlas, in addition to the members mentioned in para. II of the Ministry's resolution quoted above.

D. D. GUPTA, Dy. Secy.

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

PUBLIC NOTICE

New Delhi-2, the 4th November 1955

No. F.12-66/55-D.—According to the scheme for providing facilities for training scientific workers employed in laboratories maintained by the trade or private manufacturers, in Government research institutions, with a view to achieving co-ordination and uniformity of standards, such training will be given in different scientific subjects in the following institutions:—

1. The Central Research Institute, Kasauli.
2. The Central Drugs Laboratory, Calcutta.
3. The Haffkine Institute, Bombay.

4. The King Institute, Guindy.
5. The Institute of Science, Bombay.
6. The Veterinary Research Institute, Mukteswar,
2. The next courses of training at these institutions will begin on the 1st January, 1956.

3. A fee of Rs. 100/- per month will be charged from each candidate for the training. This fee will be payable in advance (that is, before the last day of the previous month.)

4. Applications for admission to these courses should reach the Director General of Health Services, New Delhi, by the 30th November, 1955. Every application must be accompanied with a Treasury Receipt for Rs. 7/8/- which should be credited under the head "XXVII-Medical-Miscellaneous".

P. N. ANAND, Under Secy.

MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(Railway Board)

New Delhi, the 2nd November 1955

No. 55/W/160/10.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Government Inspector of Railways, Bombay, having inspected the Electrification of the Through lines between Andheri and Borivali, B. G. Section of the Western Railway; a length of 7.99 miles, authorised its opening for electric passenger trains with effect from 25th September 1955.

The Railway Board after considering the Report of the Government Inspector of Railways, Bombay have confirmed his action.

ARYA BHUSHAN,
Dy. Director, Civil Engineering,

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

(Transport Wing)

RESOLUTION

New Delhi, the 1st November 1955

No. 9-PH(23)/55.—The Government of India are pleased to constitute an Expert Committee to examine and report on the feasibility and desirability of connecting the Gulf of Mannar and the Palk Bay by cutting a channel at the approaches to the Adam's Bridge for enabling deep sea ships to navigate in safety from the west to the east coast of India. It has been suggested that the construction of such a passage would increase the potentiality of the port of Tuticorin if it is to be developed into a deep sea port. The composition of the Committee, which may be known as the Sethusamudram Project Committee, will be as follows:—

Shri A. Ramaswami Mudaliar—Chairman.

The Chief Commercial Superintendent, Southern Railway.

Shri B. N. Chatterji, Retired Chief Engineer, Calcutta Port.

Captain J. R. Davies, Nautical Adviser to the Government of India, Directorate-General of Shipping, Bombay-1.

Shri R. A. Gopalaswami, I.C.S., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Home Department, Madras—Member-Secretary.

2. The terms of reference of the Committee will be as follows:—

- (a) What is the extent to which shipping in general is likely to benefit by, and in practice to take advantage of, the shortened sea route via the proposed Sethusamudram passage?
- (b) Would the advantage, likely to be secured, be commensurate with the expenditure involved?
- (c) What are the traffic prospects of the Tuticorin port during the next decade?
 - (i) if the Sethusamudram passage is provided; and
 - (ii) if the Sethusamudram passage is not provided,
- (d) In the light of the traffic assessment, should the Tuticorin development project be proceeded with? If so, what should be the timing?
 - (i) immediately by itself and independently of the Sethusamudram project;
 - (ii) simultaneously with the Sethusamudram scheme; or
 - (iii) at a later stage and if so, when?

3. The Committee is requested to submit its report to Government by the end of January, 1956.

N. M. AYYAR, Secy.